Three-Day Survival Pack







Authorities

recommend that

every home be equipped with a

Survival Pack

such as the one

described here.

All family

members should

be aware of its

location in the

event that

disaster strikes.

Flashlight Radio First Aid Kit (including)

Drugs: Antibiotic ointment

Aspirin tablets (5 grain) Spirit of ipecac (to induce vomiting)

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Medication recommended by your doctor (examples):

a. Insulin

b. Heart tablets

Dressings

Adhesive tape, 2" wide roll Sterile bandage, 2" & 4" wide roll Bandages, large triangular

Bandages, plastic strips Cotton-tipped swabs Sterile absorbent cotton Ace bandage Butterfly bandages Gauze pads (4" x 4")

Misc.

Scissors **Tweezers** Thermometer Petroleum jelly Rubbing alcohol **Tissues** Pocketknife First Aid Handbook

Middle Of The Barrel

Three-day supply of food requiring no refrigeration. Date all food items. Write out a menu for each day.

Examples:

Canned tuna or pork & beans (1/2 lb./person) Nonfat dry milk (1/2 lb./person) Graham crackers (1/2 lb./person) Dried apricots (1/2 lb./person) Canned orange or tomato juice

Peanut butter (1/2 lb./person)

*This supplies daily 2100 calories and essential nutrients)



1 gal./person per day, store separately





Beddina

Sleeping bag/blankets Plastic sheet/tarp

Clothina

One change/person

Personal Supplies

Toiletries Towel

Good book

Paper/pencil

Fuel & Light

Matches

Candle

Signal flare

Sterno canned heat



Can opener

Dish pan

Dishes (disposable)

Utensils (disposable)

Shovel

Bucket (plastic bag liners)

Infant Needs

If applicable

Personal Documents

See Family Emergency Plan

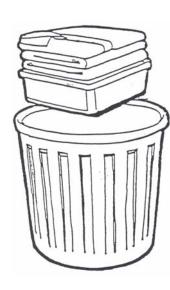
Money

Cash

Other

Water purification tablets Liquid chlorine/bleach

Eye dropper



EARTHQUAKE PREPAREDNESS



BEFORE THE SHAKING STARTS -

Prepare Your Family:

- Know the safe spots in each room: Against inside walls, under tables, desks, or in supported doorways.
- √ Know the danger spots: Windows, mirrors, hanging objects, bookshelves, and fireplaces.
- Practice drills. Physically place yourself in safe locations. Have an evacuation plan and safe meeting place outside.
- √ Learn First Aid and CPR from the American Red Cross.

Prepare Your Home:

- $\sqrt{}$ Learn how to shut off gas, water, and electricity (but only if lines are damaged).
- $\sqrt{}$ Secure water heater and appliances that could move enough to rupture lines.
- $\sqrt{}$ Secure hanging plants and heavy picture frames or mirrors (especially over beds).
- $\sqrt{}$ Close drapes over windows at night.
- $\sqrt{}$ Put latches on cabinet doors to hold closed during shaking.
- √ Keep flammable or hazardous liquids such as paints, pest sprays or cleaning products in the garage or outside shed (out of children's reach).
- Maintain emergency supplies for a 72-hour period; i.e., food, water, and other supplies, including a flashlight, portable battery-operated radio, extra batteries, medications, first aid kits, fire extinguisher, clothing, emergency numbers, and copies of important documents.

DURING THE SHAKING -

- $\sqrt{}$ If indoors, stay there. Get under a desk or table, or stand in a doorway.
- √ If outdoors, get into an open area away from trees, buildings, and power lines.
- √ If driving, pull your car to the side of the road and stop. Avoid overpasses or power lines. Remain inside the car until the shaking is over.
- $\sqrt{}$ If in a high-rise building, stay away from windows and outside walls. Move to an interior wall or get under a table or desk. Do not use the elevator. Do not run outside.
- $\sqrt{}$ If in a crowded public place, do not rush for the doors or exits.

AFTER THE SHAKING STOPS -

- $\sqrt{}$ Check for injuries. Apply first aid. Do not move seriously injured persons unless in immediate danger.
- $\sqrt{}$ Do not use the telephone unless there is a severe injury or fire. Hang up telephone if off the hook.
- Check for gas and water leaks, broken electrical wiring or sewage lines. If there is damage, turn utilities off at the source.
- √ Check food and water supplies. Emergency water may be obtained from water heaters, melted ice cubes, toilet tanks, and canned vegetables.
- √ Turn on your portable radio for instructions and news reports. Cooperate fully with public safety officials.
- $\sqrt{}$ Do not use your vehicle unless there is an emergency. Keep streets clear.
- \vee Be prepared for aftershocks. Don't panic, stay calm and lend a hand to others.

For more information on disaster preparedness, contact the Huntington Beach Fire Department, Emergency Services Office at 714 536-5980.